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- ) ATM TRAFFIC HAVING UNKNOWN
- ) CHARACTERISTICS INCLUDING
- ) TRAFFIC WITH WEIGHTED
- ) PRIORITIES AND TRAFFIC
- ) WITHOUT WEIGHTED PRIORITIES

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2004, please enter the following amendments to the above-identified application as follows.